

Department of Beaches and Harbors Presentation to the Los Angeles County Commission on Disabilities

November 18, 2015



Caring for Your Coast

Vision, Mission, Motto

- **VISION** - To preserve and enhance Los Angeles County's beaches and marina as premier destinations for current and future generations.
- **MISSION** - The Department of Beaches and Harbors is dedicated to caring for Los Angeles County's coastline and Marina del Rey.
- **MOTTO** - Caring for Your Coast



Strategic Plan Goals

- **Goal A:** Access - Enhance access to all our beaches and the Marina for recreational purposes.
- **Goal B:** Economic Vitality - Support a vibrant Marina community and promote attractive beaches to expand visitorship and economic opportunities for the region.
- **Goal C:** Environmental Stewardship - Protect and maintain the beaches and Marina in a manner that balances recreational use with environmental resilience for the benefit of current and future users.
- **Goal D:** Service Excellence - Provide reliable, high quality services to beach and Marina users and stakeholders.
- **Goal E:** Organizational Effectiveness - To best serve the public, maintain efficient and effective internal systems to maximize productivity and achieve our mission and vision.



Goal A – Access

Enhance access to all our beaches and the Marina for recreational purposes.

Objectives:

- Ensure that our beaches and Marina are clean, safe and in good condition.
- Expand services, programs and events to encourage Marina and beach use by all.
- Continue to enhance our Marina infrastructure and programs as the premier recreational boating marina in the nation.
- Optimize parking operations.
- Encourage multi-modal access to the Marina and our beaches.
- Collect data on user behavior patterns and preferences to inform decisions on beach and Marina access.



Accessibility for Persons with Disabilities

- Facility Accessibility
- Program Accessibility
- Public Meeting Accessibility
- Website Accessibility
- Outreach



Facility Accessibility

- Accessible Docks in Marina del Rey



Facility Accessibility

- Accessible Restrooms



Dockweiler RV Park



Burton Chace Park



Facility Accessibility

- ADA Beach Ramps and Paths



Venice Beach



Will Rogers Viewdeck

Facility Accessibility

- Accessible Parking Lots



Dockweiler RV Park



Marina
View
Piers



Facility Accessibility

- RV Park - Dockweiler State Beach



Facility Accessibility

- Beach Wheelchairs – 22 wheelchairs at 15 locations. Information available at: http://file.lacounty.gov/dbh/docs/cms1_168368.pdf

LOCATION	ADDRESS	PHONE NUMBER	NUMBER OF WHEELCHAIRS	COMMENTS
Zuma Beach Los Angeles County Lifeguard Headquarters	30500 Pacific Coast Hwy. Malibu, CA 90265 Between lots #3 and #4	(310) 305-9552	1	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Lifeguards may be out on patrol or on an emergency call and may not always be immediately available to issue or accept a beach wheelchair. No wheelchair ramp over the sand available. Disabled parking is available in lots #3 and #4.
Topanga Beach Beach Wheelchair Locker	18700 Pacific Coast Hwy. Malibu, CA 90265	(310) 305-9552	1	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Lifeguards may be out on patrol or on an emergency call and may not always be immediately available to issue or accept a beach wheelchair. No wheelchair ramp over the sand available. Disabled parking is available in lots #3 and #4.
Will Rogers Beach Los Angeles County Lifeguard Headquarters	15100 Pacific Coast Hwy. Pacific Palisades, CA 90272 Lot #5	(310) 305-9552	1	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Lifeguards may be out on patrol or on an emergency call and may not always be immediately available to issue or accept a beach wheelchair. No wheelchair ramp over the sand available. Disabled parking is available in lots #3 and #4.
Santa Monica Beach Arenberg Community Beach House	415 Pacific Coast Hwy. Santa Monica, CA 90402 Beach House parking lot	(310) 458-4004	1	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Daily hours: 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Ramp over sand is way out only (not to the water). Disabled parking is available.
Santa Monica Beach Pier's Cafe	1200 Pacific Coast Hwy. Santa Monica, CA 90403 Lot #3 North	(310) 458-4000 (310) 452-7000 (310) 452-7000 (310) 452-7000	2	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Daily hours: 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Ramp over sand is way out only (not to the water). Disabled parking is available. Max 2 hours rent.
Santa Monica Beach Pier's Cafe	2400 Ocean Front Walk Santa Monica, CA 90405 Lot #4 South	(310) 458-4000 (310) 452-7000 (310) 452-7000 (310) 452-7000	2	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Daily hours: 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Ramp over sand is way out only (not to the water). Disabled parking is available. Max 2 hours rent.
Santa Monica Beach Pier's Cafe	2600 Ocean Front Walk Santa Monica, CA 90405 Lot #5 South	(310) 458-4000 (310) 452-7000 (310) 452-7000 (310) 452-7000	1	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Daily hours: 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Ramp over sand is way out only (not to the water). Disabled parking is available. Max 2 hours rent.
Venice Beach Beach Wheelchair Locker near Venice Beach Bikini	3100 Ocean Front Walk Venice, CA 90291 Washington Blvd. lot	(310) 458-4000 (310) 452-7000 (310) 452-7000 (310) 452-7000	1	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Daily hours: 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Ramp over sand is way out only (not to the water). Disabled parking is available. Max 2 hours rent.

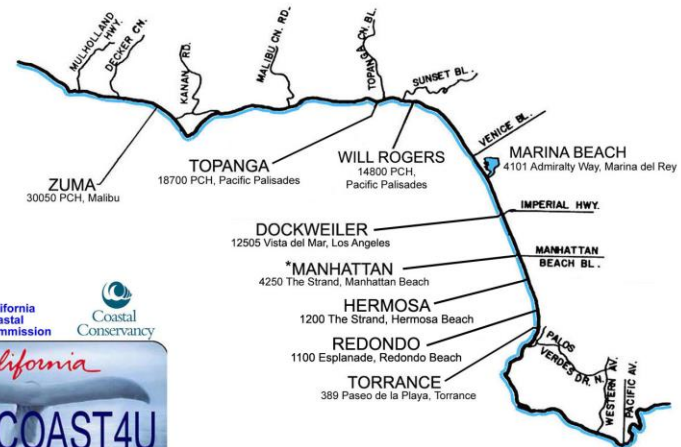
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Manhattan Beach Beach Wheelchair Locker	4101 Admiralty Way Manhattan Beach, CA 90266 Lot #10	(310) 305-9552	2	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Lifeguards may be out on patrol or on an emergency call and may not always be immediately available to issue or accept a beach wheelchair. No wheelchair ramp over the sand available. Disabled parking is available.
Dockweiler Youth Center	12505 Vista del Mar Los Angeles, CA 90245 Bluff lot	(310) 726-4131	2	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Daily hours: 9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. No wheelchair ramp over the sand available. Disabled parking is available.
Manhattan Beach Beach Wheelchair Locker	4250 The Strand Manhattan Beach, CA 90266	(310) 305-9552	2	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Lifeguards may be out on patrol or on an emergency call and may not always be immediately available to issue or accept a beach wheelchair. No wheelchair ramp over the sand available. Disabled parking is available.
Hermosa Beach Los Angeles County Lifeguard Headquarters	1200 The Strand Hermosa Beach, CA 90254 Public parking lot at 1101 Hermosa Avenue	(310) 305-9552	1	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Lifeguards may be out on patrol or on an emergency call and may not always be immediately available to issue or accept a beach wheelchair. No wheelchair ramp over the sand available. Disabled parking is available.
Redondo Beach Los Angeles County Lifeguard Headquarters, Avenue C	1100 Esplanade Redondo Beach, CA 90277	(310) 305-9552	1	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Lifeguards may be out on patrol or on an emergency call and may not always be immediately available to issue or accept a beach wheelchair. No wheelchair ramp over the sand available. Disabled parking is available.
Torrance Beach Beach Wheelchair Locker	389 Paseo de la Playa Torrance, CA 90501	(310) 305-9552	1	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Lifeguards may be out on patrol or on an emergency call and may not always be immediately available to issue or accept a beach wheelchair. No wheelchair ramp over the sand available. Disabled parking is available.
Cabrillo Beach Cabrillo Marine Aquarium	3720 Stephen M. White Drive San Pedro, CA 90731	(310) 548-7562	3	Use of beach wheelchair is free and available on a first come, first served basis. No reservations. Lifeguards may be out on patrol or on an emergency call and may not always be immediately available to issue or accept a beach wheelchair. No wheelchair ramp over the sand available. Disabled parking is available.

Additional Beach Wheelchair Information:

- Beach Wheelchairs are the property of and maintained by the Los Angeles County Department of Beaches and Harbors. A valid driver license or ID is required to check out a Beach Wheelchair, in addition to a completed Liability Release Form.
- Beach Wheelchair is the property of and maintained by the City of Santa Monica. A valid driver license or ID is required to check out the Beach Wheelchair.
- Beach Wheelchair is the property of and maintained by the Cabrillo Marine Aquarium. A valid driver license or ID is required to check out the Beach Wheelchair.

Updated 08/17/15

LOS ANGELES COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF BEACHES AND HARBORS BEACH WHEELCHAIR LOCATIONS



Caring for Your Coast

Program Accessibility

- Water Awareness, Training, Education & Recreation (W.A.T.E.R) Program – During Fiscal Year 2014-15, 20% of the children served had special needs.
- Wheelchairs, wheelchair lift van, backrests for kayaks



- Transportation – Beach Shuttle





Free Beach Shuttle
 2013
 • volunteer hours only

2015 FREE Special Events
Marina del Rey Summer Concert Series
 at Burton Chace Park • 7 p.m.
Symphonic Thursdays
 July 2 • July 16 • July 30 • August 13
Pop Saturdays
 July 11 • July 25 • August 8 • August 22
Summer Concert Shuttle Hours
 5 p.m. to 10 p.m., Thursdays
 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., Saturdays
Playa Vista's Summer Concerts in the Park
 Thursdays 5 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
 Food trucks at every concert
Concert Park
 June 14 • July 12 • August 16
Campus Central Park
 June 28 • July 19 • August 2
 For Campus Central Park, visit the Beach Shuttle at Concert Park, and connect to the Playa Vista event shuttle in front of Turney, commencing at 4pm before concert.
31st Annual Abbot Kinney Festival
 Sunday, September 27th
 Courtesy of
PLAYA VISTA
DON KNABE
 100 MARINA DEL REY

Marina del Rey Waterbus
 June 18 - September 7
 Thursday - Saturday: 11 a.m. - midnight
 Sunday: 11 a.m. - 9p.m.
 4th of July: 11 a.m. - midnight
 Labor Day: 11 a.m. - 9p.m.
 Call for Pick-up Only (310) 628-3219



**Free
Beach
Shuttle
2015**

Piazza Vista • Marina del Rey • Venice Beach Pier

May 22 - September 27

Hours of Operation:

Fridays and Saturdays 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Sundays and Holidays 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Map of the Venice Beach Shuttle Route

Map Legend

- Water Stop (Red Dot)
- Additional Stop (Blue Dot)
- Closed Park Circuit Route (Blue Line)
- Airport Express Route (Blue Dashed Line)
- Direction of Travel (Blue Arrow)
- Shuttle Location (Blue Circle)
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2015 Beach Shuttle Schedule
Fridays • Weekends • Holidays

Major Stops Along the Route	After Hour	Hour
Playa Vista (Playa Vista, Miramonte, Concord Pk, The Strand and Fourteen Park)	16	:45
Fisherman's Village - towards Venice Beach Pier - Waterbus Stop #1 (Fisherman's Village area)	28	:58
Admiralty Way & 14th Way (Delmarview Shopping Center)	31	:01
Admiralty Way & Burke Park - Waterbus Stop #2 (Burke Park, Delmarview, Burke, Library, The Village and Union)	34	:04
Admiralty Way & Palawen Way - Waterbus Stop #4 (Palawen Way, Palawen, Palawen, Palawen)	37	:07
Via Marina & Poney Way - Waterbus Stop #5 (Poney Way, Poney Way, Poney Way)	40	:10
Washington Blvd. & Pacific Ave (Venice Beach Pier, Delmarview and Palawen)	48	:18
Washington Blvd. & Via Marina (Marine Beach Shopping Center, Delmarview and Palawen)	51	:21
Admiralty Way & Manderson Way - Waterbus Stop #2 (Manderson Way, Manderson Way, Manderson Way)	55	:25
Fisherman's Village - towards Playa Vista - Waterbus Stop #1 (Fisherman's Village area)	57	:27
Playa Vista (Playa Vista, Miramonte, Concord Pk, The Strand and Fourteen Park)	08	:35

- All Beach Shuttles are wheelchair accessible.
- All Beach Shuttles are equipped with bike racks.
- Last shuttle leaves Playa Vista at 7:15 p.m. on Sundays and Holidays.

Program Accessibility

- Transportation – Marina del Rey WaterBus: Seven accessible stops



WaterBus Boarding Locations

- 1 FISHERMAN'S VILLAGE**
13755 Fiji Way
Shopping, restaurants and free weekend daytime concerts
- 2 BURTON CHACE PARK**
13650 Mindanao Way
Beautiful park with free evening concerts and movie nights in the summer
- 3 WATERFRONT WALK**
4375 Admiralty Way, Ritz-Carlton Hotel
Dock Gate, #E-200
Hotel and restaurants
- 4 MARINA "MOTHER'S" BEACH**
4101 Admiralty Way
Sandy beach, great for picnics and BBQs, and Beach Eats (food trucks) on Thursday evenings
- 5 DOLPHIN MARINA**
13900 Panay Way, Dock Gate, #202
Restaurants and attractive residential area with anchorage
- 6 ESPRIT**
13900 Marquesas Way, Dock Gate, Slip #B-602 1/2
Attractive residential area with anchorage
- 7 HARBOR AT MARINA BAY**
14015 Tahiti Way, Dock Gate, #B-3100
Luxury apartments with new anchorage
- 8 DEL REY LANDING**
13800 Bora Bora Way, Fuel Dock Gate
Fuel dock, maritime general store

Public Meeting Accessibility

- Beach Commission, Small Craft Harbor Commission (SCHC), Design Control Board (DCB Marina)
- Accessible facility at Chace Park Community Room
- Assistive listening devices available upon advance request
- SCHC and DCB meetings are recorded and the recordings are posted online



Website Accessibility

- Accessibility tool test is conducted monthly. The website is compliant except for the audio files.



Outreach

- Information for each accessible facility is available on the Department's website
- W.A.T.E.R Program – The schools that participate are aware of ADA Accessibility



Questions?

Thank You !

